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SPECIES NUCLEAR TRANSPLANTATION AND METHODS FOR

ENHANCING EMBRYONIC DEVELOPMENT BY GENETIC

ALTERATION OF DONOR CELLS OR BY TISSUE CULTURE

**CONDITIONS** 

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 3, 2003, the date for timely reply being extended three months to expire on June 3, 2004, Applicants timely submit the following Amendment. Entry of this Amendment and reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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